Applicant: JOSEPH A, FESTER

For: VACUUM CLEANER WITH CYCLONIC DIRT SEPARATION AND BOTTOM DISCHARGE DIRT CUP

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REMARKS

The specification has been amended to include a cross-reference to the parent application. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter is added to the application by these amendments. Applicants respectfully request that the above-noted amendment be entered.

If there are any issues that the Commissioner thinks may be resolved by way of telephone conference or email, he is cordially invited to contact the undersigned to resolve these issues.

Respectfully submitted, JOSEPH A. FESTER

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